

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 351

Short Title: Short-Term Lease Tax/Highway Fund. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Rabon (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

March 23, 2017

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO CREDIT TO THE HIGHWAY FUND THE TAXES COLLECTED ON THE
2 SHORT-TERM LEASE OR RENTAL OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AND TO
3 APPROPRIATE A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF FUNDS FROM THE HIGHWAY FUND
4 TO BE USED FOR RUNWAY IMPROVEMENTS AT THE RALEIGH-DURHAM
5 INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.
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7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 105-187.9(a) reads as rewritten:

9 "(a) Distribution. – Taxes collected under this Article at the rate of eight percent (8%)
10 shall be credited to the ~~General~~ Highway Fund. Taxes collected under this Article at the rate of
11 three percent (3%) shall be credited to the North Carolina Highway Trust Fund."

12 **SECTION 2.** Notwithstanding G.S. 143C-5-2, there is appropriated from the
13 Highway Fund to the Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority the sum of fifty million dollars
14 (\$50,000,000) in nonrecurring funds for each fiscal year of the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium to be
15 used for improvements to the runways at the Raleigh-Durham International Airport to
16 accommodate additional international flights.

17 **SECTION 3.** Section 1 of this act becomes effective July 1, 2017, and applies to
18 taxes collected on or after that date. The remainder of this act becomes effective July 1, 2017.

